

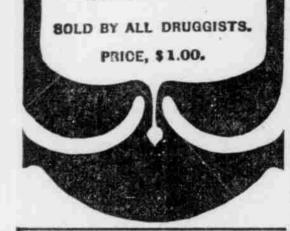
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Brutus' Little Joke, "Brutus," said Cassius, when Marc Aninto play, "I have no longer any stomach

And it took Caesar another five minutes words of the noblest Roman of them | Breeders' Gazette. all.-Portland Oregonian.

Sad Loss Indeed. Representative Pearre, of Maryland, has

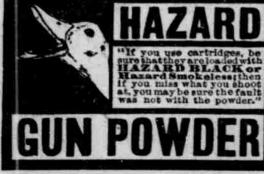
a hard-luck story. "I've lost two borses and my wife," said the stricken man. "It was a good span of horses, too," he added.—Des Moines

"Our chances for honor," said the large-



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DEMAND FOR SADDLE HORSES.

The Automobile Has Not Yet Affected the Demand for Good Saddle Horses.

One of the most favorable signs of the season is the tremendous demand that exists in all the large American markets for saddle horses of both kinds-both the so-called gaited Kentucky kind and the walk-trot-canter kind. Prices are hardly any criterion in this case. The rich man pays from \$1,000 to \$3,000 or more for what suits him of either sort, the poor man buys the horse that is either able or is supposed to be able to "saddle" and thereby "ease his pains." The fact is that the supply of really finished saddle horses of any sort is woefully short. All the dealers with reputations for furnishing finished performers are overrun with orders. Hark back a few weeks and see what hanpened at Durlands on the opening day of summer. Orders for saddle horses to buy outright, to lease by the season and to rent for the day broke over 670-a most astonishing record considering the craze for automopresent and did then among the wealthy young men and women of Gotham. The polo-playing set in New York, inspired thereto by the wrest the international cup from the British in a series of matches two-inthereby. The very fact that the Britreached all around the American, though almost equaled by them in tion of various breeders to the subject of producing small racing horses capable of staying and going a very fast pace. This spirit seems to have men in such cities are desirous of achistory of the nation. The result is satility has not acquired.—Texas that a great number of young men Farm and Ranch. who can not be caned wealthy, and many more who lay some claim to that distinction, are daily practicing

BE PROGRESSIVE.

a constituent who recently related to him The Farmer of To-Day Must Be Progressive If He Would Achieve Success.

The farmer should endeavor to make some progress in one line or anwaisted philosopher, "are greater as an other as long as he farms. He can not be observed in them.—F. M. Beverly, born's destiny is eggs.

See that as posterity."—Indianapolis afford to patronize every agent that in Epitomist.

"But then! Age is the comes along or invest largely in "new" seeds; neither is it best to buy every new implement or machine that is brought out, but at the same time not follow along in the old ruts too closely. Indeed the farmer should keep his eyes open, ever on the lookout for something to better his condition, but at the same time careful about investing his hard-earned money until he is sure of a profitable ex-

penditure. The farm home should constantly be showing improvement in some way; and the fertility of the farm ment. The policy of continually drawing from the soil without returning anything to it can not long be carried on without noticeable diminution of the products of the farm. Some of the modern conveniences should find their way to the farm; and improved implements should be W. L. Douglas made and sold more men's Goodyrar Welt (Hand Sewed Process) shoes in the first six months of 1902 than any other manufacturer.

\$10,000 REWARD will be paid to anyone who will allow. At least one good agricultural paper should be taken, and if possible to do so take three or four and study about the farmers' 1800 sales, \$1,103,820 | 1902 sales, \$2,340,000 | methods. If rural free delivery of rural free delivery routes have ro cently been established, and two farmers at least declare they will have nothing to do with it, not even to pick up free copies of a daily paper thrown out by the carrier. Are these men progressive, think you? Why not welcome all such benefits to the rural community with extended hand. The progressive farmer likes to have a be willing to work out his tax; yes. and a little more too, for the sake of having it; and in many good

WASTE MAKES WANT.

Why the Thrifty German Farmer is Generally More Prosperous than His Fellows.

That German farmers in this country generally are more prosperous than American farmers is a well known fact. But why is this? In answering this question our people jump to the nearest conclusion-that they can live on less than natives. That this is erroneous every one the soil in the production of a crop health of the people of the country is knows who has associated with these the same amount of plant food improving, as is evidenced by the "foreigners" at their homes. As a should be restored to that particular fact that the deaths from old age, 44 rule with very few exceptions their soil.

FARMER AND PLANTER | tables are abundantly supplied with good, wholesome food, well cooked and heartily eaten. This is also confirmed by their health, strength and energy. They are industrious, but who ever heard of Germans denying themselves rational recreation or social pleasures? It would be well for American farmers to imitate their German neighbors in more ways than one. One reason why German farmers prosper is that they are practical and rational economists. They know they can get more for their money by paying cash for what they buy than by having their purchases charged. Hence they rarely go in debt, but easily make one dollar go as far as the credit farmer's \$1.25. Germans are economists in avoiding waste. The truth that "a penny saved is a penny made," they apply generally, allowing nothing to go to waste that can be put to use. American farmers are said to be the most wasteful class in the world. We have heard the remark that "a German can live on what an American wastes." In many cases this is not only true, but the German will live better than the American. Waste pervades every department of the American farm. all records and totaled something There is waste in feeding the farm stock, both by improper methods and deficient knowledge of the proprieties biles of the racing type that exists at of the various feed stuffs. The manure is wasted by exposure to sunshine and rain. The wood ashes are dumped in a pile in the back yard instead of being applied to the soil. an unsuccessful attempt was made to testing the seed so as to know prethree, has been doing much mission- food that would keep a similar numary work in the swell set of New ber of pigs. Fodder and grass are ing shop. York, and it is only reasonable to sup- permitted to dry up in the field to be pose that much good has been done cut and piled and burned to get them out of the way of the plow, but would | thoughtfull against the counter. ish ponies, when it came to the pinch, have wintered several head of cattle besides the plow teams. Farm tools are out in the weather, to shrink, rot the first game, has drawn the atten- and fall to pieces, which with proper care would last for many years. Time permeated the entire United States, so house, garden, etc., are so arranged far as its larger cities are concerned, as to uselessly consume time and laand to-day very many more young bor in the performance of daily home and farm duties. This is peculiarly ing quiring the art of sitting on a fast an American accomplishment, which going horse than at any time in the the German farmer with all his ver-

Kindness to Domestic Animals. There is nothing like kindness to anteincubated egg?" mand for saddlers is more keen than at times, have to deal with unruly suspicious eggs out of reach,

Farm Exhaustion. he should be alive to his interests and go to make up the supply of plant fricassee, as exhausted a soup, as inmeasure to be controlled by those in when age has stolen on. charge of the farms. There is a no- "And let me tell you this, sonny, as others will literally starve it out, till put 'em in a paper bag." it will not sprout peas. Of course, "No. Not to-day," said the reporter this aptness, or instinctive propensi- as he walked away, stuffed with egg should be growing better all of the ty, among the better class of farm- lore, and the storekeeper didn't seem time, as it may, by proper manage- ers, is more or less a gift; but close to like it. study and application in this direction will work wonders. The wouldbe successful farmer must study his lands; observe the various changes wrought over them through the operation of tilling and grazing, and he will soon learn by experience to ductive. Let your motto be study and | conditions of health in various localilearn .- F. M. Beverly, in Epitomist, ties. It has for the general reading

HERE AND THERE.

crop, promises to be a large one in the basis of 100,000 of population in the mountains of Kentucky this year. the two years of 1890 and 1900. -When you go to milk take a By these figures it is shown that light blanket and throw it over the medical science has made marked adcow while you are milking, and see vances in the United States, says an what a happy, contented look she eastern exchange. The most conspic will have.

Look for them and take measures to thousand to 35-one-half.

things for the farmers' benefits he ing machine has been invented. If the 15 to 12, convulsions from 56 to 33, will be found in the front rank, and machine is a success the report mere- and scarlet fever from 13 to 11.

prove the stock.

with live stock growing, is a profita- to 83.

SOME HEN FRUIT LORE.

The Storekeeper Was What Might Appropriately Be Called a Regular "Eggcyelopedia."

Seized with a turn for investigation, the reporter stopped in front of a West side store, the show window of "I Had the Headache Conwith nice, fresh-looking eggs He entered the store to see if there was anything he didn't know about eggs, relates the New York Times.

"What is there new in eggs to-day?" the reporter asked the storekeeper. "Well," said the storekeeper, picking a sad-looking article of hen fruit from a basket and handling it with care, "in this particular egg I would be willing to bet a flock of hens against a red-headed woodpecker that the newest thing is a chicken. The chicken is new, but the hen is old. Did you

want some eggs?" "No," said the reporter. "I am seeking knowledge. What is the largest egg you put on the market?"

"Oh, the Brahma is the biggest of all eggs, and the yallerist. The next, as to size and yaller, is the Houdan, with the Langshan rolling up a mighty close third. The favorite white-shelled eggs are the Leghorns, Plymouth looked well and strong I have for sev- you are suffering from any female de Rocks, Hamburgs, Dominicks, and the game chicken eggs. I have 'em all, and it won't take but a minute to put you

ap a dozen or so of each." "Do you know what the outcome of trip of their adepts to London, where There is a waste in planting by not they cease to be useful as eggs and go cisely how much to sow. Often a lot wide, wide world as chickens?" inof worthless dogs are kept to eat the quired the reporter, ignoring the exceeding bad taste of the man in talk-

> The man put the dubious egg cautiously back in the basket and leaned

"Do you know," persisted the investigator, "which egg evolves the ingredients for the deceptive fricasee? Which one is responsible for the weakness of the chicken soup that pales the and temper and labor are wasted by boarding house tureen? Which egg inconvenient arrangement. Often the contains the germs of the unrelenting stable, cow lot, draw-bars, well, fowl assailant of the gastric juices, the insidious potpie?"

> The storekeeper changed to his other foot and gazed up at the ceil-

"Can you tell me," the reporter went on, "against which egg will the allegaspring chicken on the confiding and who take advantage of the same .- Puck. unsuspecting summer boarder? Are

so far has been recorded in the his- and even breachy animals, and in mo- "Am I on to 'em?" he exclaimed Breezes Not Doing Their Work .- "Don't tory of horse exchange in the United ments of unrestrained passion you "Well, somewhat! I'm what you you have say servants at all to keep this might call an eggcyclopedia. Now, as noted clean? My room is in a fearfully during might call an eggcyclopedia. Now, as could be indulged in. The so-called ly, or shall I say violently. Too often to broilers, sonny, the Plymouth summer hotel "ad." gaited horse, no matter if he can only the latter. But will this mode of Rocks and the Brahmas hatch out the the wind!" declared the proprietor, blandly raise a rather mean sort of hobble in lieu of the true saddle gaits, is in tremendage demand or described by occasion money on the Wyandottes for second m mendous demand, and any one who this course you will but engender a place. A Brahma or a Plymouth Rock So It Seems - "Yes," he said, thoughtdoes not believe this statement ought refractory and unmanageable dispo- youngster will be ready for the grid- blly, "Shakespeare was right. All the to do one of two things—to be consisted the stage of the do one of two things—to be consisted the stage of the do one of two things—to be consisted the stage of favorite bridle path in some park in have but little of the reasoning pow- Wyandotte a couple of weeks longer be is cast for the star part, and as a general Well," replied Brutus, after his custom- a great American city, or to attend ers given to man, but are guided by before he is fit to sizzle over the coals thing he's more than half through he ary five minutes for thought, "having no a daily auction when it has been an- instinct, and you should make all al- The Leghorn is hardly big enough to before he discovers his mistake." - Chicago more casus belli, we might as well lay down nounced that a consignment of "Ken- lowances for this natural impulse in split for the iron before four months tucky and other saddlers" will be dis- them. You can readily tell what have passed over his head, and by that mer harsh treatment or inherent im- the chap the summer boarder gits to first into a formidable snow bank. A feltreating the animals kindly, not to hall of fame. The Leghorn wasn't cut clovers."-N. Y. Sun. mention the improvement that will out for meat for man to eat. The Leg-

"But then! Age is the great leveler, after all, when it comes to that There ain't much choice among any of Did you never notice to what ex- the breeds when they have got along in tent the properties of the soil that years. One will make as uncertain a food, become exhausted? The ex- digestible a potpie, and as rubbery hausting agencies seem in a great a spring chicken as t'other one will

ticeable difference in this respect be- to eggs. When they are in the glad tween the methods of farmers; some heyday of youth is the time for you will feed the farm, in a natural and to grab your eggs! If you wait until seemingly unstudied matter, while to-morrow it may be too late! I car

WE ARE HEALTHIER.

A Conclusion That Is Based on the Death Statistics of the Last

A branch of the census of 1900 is counteract the agencies that impover- the vital statistics department which ish his acres, and render them unpro- was intended to show the ordinary public the merit of showing the advance in medical science in the United States during a period of tenyears. -The chestnut crop, like the corn the number of deaths being taken on

uous of these, perhaps, is in the case -Don't forget about the lice. of diphtheria which, since the use of There may be thousands in your antitoxin, shows a decrease in the poultry house before you find one. death rate of from 70 per hundred

prevent them from getting started. In croup the reduction in the death -It is a well known fact that hens rate is from 27.06 to 9.8 per hundred take on fat much sooner than pullets. thousand in typhoid fever from 46 It will, therefore, pay to keep even to 33, in diarrhoeal diseases from 84 good road along his farm, and will the hens and pullets separate, so that to 35, brain diseases from 30 to 18, judicious feeding may be followed. | bronchitis from 74 to 48, cholera in--It is stated in some of the farm fantum from 79 to 47, malarial fever papers that a successful cotton pick- from 19 to 8, whooping cough from

not near the tail end .- Cor. Epito- ly means that another negro baby On the other hand there are, as the figures show, some ailments which pasture, improve the soil and im- of 10, cancer increased from 47 to 60, apoplexy from 49 to 66, diabetes from -Grain farming in conjunction 5 to 9, and kidney diseases from 59

> ble business, inasmuch as much of Many of these changes are ascribed the grain and fodder can be fed to changed conditions of life, diet, through the animals back to the soil. and mental activity which are not The philosophy of the whole question within the power of medical science is embodied in the statement that for to control, but the conclusion, based every pound of plant food taken from on all the figures, is that the general per hundred thousand in 1890 were

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"Thrice blessed is that boy," quoth the large-waisted philosopher, "who has a fa-ther with a good memory for what he did when he was young."—Indianapolis News. Be sure you're right, then be sure you're

sure.-Chicago Daily News. "I don't know whether she sings or not." You would if you heard her."-Pack.

"Soy, Chimmie, wot's de boss call y' up fer?" "T' call me down?"—Baltimore

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to figure out the deadly entendre that lay posed of to the highest bidder .- | kind of master a horse has from his time he is tolerably well fixed as to It was during the heavy storms of snow qualities. If your animals show any sinew, and there ain't any more juice and sleet February last that a young woman signs of disquietude, either from forpulse, you should at once set about the task of reclaiming them by kind and gentle means. From actual experience I know that one will feel and the pallor of the soup that has been during the mislap, much better by adopting the plan of placed the boarding house menu in the no," she answered smiling sweetly. I just went under that drift to look for four leaved



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> She -Way is it, then, that we have so many far generals - Youkers Statesman. A Desirable Preacher - How did yes ike the new prescher, dear?" asked Mrs. Figit when her bushind recursed "He's great," replied the houland.

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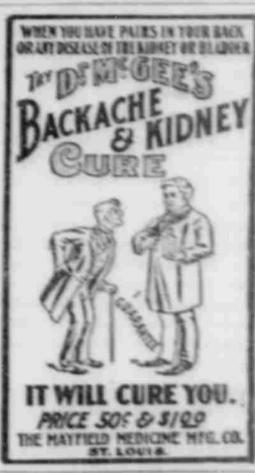
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